

CAPTAIN EVANS AS HE WAS AND IS.

Days, nights, weeks and months of almost ceaseless peril and anxiety, with the terrific heat of the sun above by day and the terrific heat of the boilers below both day and night, were out several of the brave officers who conducted the long and wearying blockade of Santiago. Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, Captain Robley D. Evans of the battleship Iowa, and Captain Charles E. Clark, late commander of the battleship Oregon, all succumbed to the strain for a time, and Captain Evans recently relinquished command of the Iowa because of ill health. The accommander plantage of the Captain Evans recently relinquished command of the Iowa because of ill health. cause of ill health. The accompanying pictures of Captain Evans as he was before the campaign opened and as he is today are from the New York Journal. To gain an idea of the ravages of malarial fever, compare the small picture of Evans taken some time ago with the large reproduction of the very faithful photograph taken some days ago. Captain Evans was hurt last May by the falling of a 600 pound battle hatch into his cabin. He was talking to Lieutenant Commander Kimball when the hatch crashed into the cabin and wrecked a table at which the two were sitting. Captain Evans had the muscles of his right arm and shoulder severely bruised and was obliged to carry his arm in a

being the winner, won by Co. H.

Mesdames Lillison, Hurd, Ford high
ly entertained the officers of the 6th
Va., Tuesday evening, Oct. 16th. It

Since the weather has become so

cold camp fires are lighted in all of the company streets. To night they are brightly burning, and it is an interting sight to watch the different little

groups, gathered around, some telling tales of camp life, singing, some play-ing on different musical instruments.

One of the most remarkable develop-

ments of the automatic machine is a "Doctor Cureall," which is seen in

CAMP POLAND NOTES. man being required to carry a message in a sealed envelope 100 yards, and giv. The terr

ONE DEATH IN CAMP.

Athletic Exercises.

CAMP FIRES BURNING.

Men Paid Off .- Officers En-

tertained.

6th Va. Vol Inf. Camp Poland. Knoxville, Tenn. Oct. 20.

Quite a gloom has been east over the entire Camp by the death of Sergeant Wm. McQuillion, Co. G, who died at the Division Hospital Monday night, of Hemmorhage of the bowels. Of an amiable disposition, and as a good williams, Majors J. B. and Wm. H. Johnson, Captains Hill and Stevens, sold er his comrades deeply deplors Adjutant Anderson. his death. "He died not in the brunt of battle, but nevertheless, he sacrificed his life for his country's honor. The command is ordered out Thursday morning to take part in the annual carnival of the city of Kooxville. This is gala week in town, everybody on pleasure bent, and the city is rapidly filling up with strangers from all parts of the state. tersburg, Vs., a companied by Sergt.

Capt. W A. Hankins, Co. A, continues sick, and has been sent to the Division Hospital.

Jam es C. Butcher, Co. G.

Private Charles A. Grammar, Co. A, is also sick in quarters.
Corporal Murray Co. C, who has been

quite sick in hospital is now out and All is bustle and stir, everybody doing salsing around.

The weather here is very cool, and a heavy frost is on the ground every morning. A strong effort is being made by the people of Knoxville to have all of the troops stationed here remain until final disposition has been made of the different Regiments, instead of going farther south.

All is bustle and stir, everybody doing something, amusing themselves in every conceivable manner, all in the best of health and spirits.

The men were paid off last Saturday and many of the greater portion of their money home, but a large amount of it has been spent in Knoxville. It has cost the Government a quarter of a million dollars to pay off the different in the second sec

steal of going farther south.

The resignation of the ten officers who resigned have been accepted, but we'are in the dark as to the next move. Cook Thompson having severed his connection with the officers, they are now messing themselves.

Lieut. John Parham has been chosen Quartermaster of the officers mess, Lieut. Collins. secretary and Captain Graves, treasurer.

has cost the Government a quarter of s million dollars to pay off the different Regiments stationed here, and the people of this city are using every effort to have the troops kept here, as two thirds of this amount is expended in the city.

The Orchestra, Quartette and the Literary Association will give a conserve Friday night, at the Knoxville College.

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Saturday being field day, all drills were suspended and the men assembled out on the campus to witness the Athletic contests by picked men, from each of the different companies. The dist event, 100 yard dash, 8 entries, was won by Merris. Co. C, time 28% sec-onds; Brown Co. G, second; Jeggetts ure of a man, divided into many com-

Oc. H, third.

The second event, 200 yard dash, 8 names of various ailments. If you have a pain, you have only to find its have a pain, you have only to find its The third event, 440 yard dash, 8 corresponding location on the figure,

at arters, was won by Jackson Co. B, drop a coin into the slot and the prop-ti ne 1 minute, and 57 seconds. The next event was the Relay race, with 5 men from each company. Each: JOB WORK A SPECIALTY.

THE WRECKED MOREGAN Ninety-five Lives Lost Off Brit-

ain's Stormy Coast.

THE BRAVERY OF THE SAILORS.

e of Them Made any Effort to Escape in the Lifebonts, and the Gallant Officers Went Down With Their

London, Oct. 17.-The steamer Mohe gan, of the Atlantic Transfer company, was wrecked last Friday evening. Of the 144 persons on board, including 53 passengers, 95 were lost. The total num-

ber of bodies thus far recovered is 56. Many persons undoubtedly were killed by being dashed on the rocks who would have escaped if cast ashore on an ordinary coast. Some of the bodies are horribly mangled.

The cause of the disaster remains the profoundest mystery. Nobody attempts to explain how the Mohegan got so far north of her true course—from six to seven miles. There was no fog at the time, while the wind on her port quarter was not sufficient to prevent quarter was not sufficient to prevent her answering the helm. It has been suggested that the compass was faulty, but daylight lasted long fifter Eddy-sione light was passed. The sailors say the fact that the Lizard light was not visible should have served to give the alarm.

Remarkable stories of rescues con tinue. Robert Barrow, a seaman, per-formed the feat of swimming unaided through the roughest water to Coverack Point, a distance of two and one-half miles. He climbed up the ragged cliff, where a searching party found him early the next morning completely exhausted. A. C. L. Smith, of Oregon. a passenger, surrendered to a woman in the water wreckage that was supporting him and swam ashore unaided. The woman was saved.

The crew, in a chivalrous effort to save the women, made the mistake of undermanning the boats. There were only four sailors in one boat, which capsized as soon as it was launched. Messrs. Smith and Bloomingdale say that Captain Griffiths had appeared ill

The heroism of the English coast patrol and the discipline of the Saxon sallors stand out boldly. The Mohegan smashed upon the rocks at the Man-acies off the Lizard at 7 o'clock Friday evening while the passengers were at

From the best evidence obtainable at St. Keverine it appears that the Mo-hegan foundered five minutes after she struck the rocks. She was going at full speed, struck twice, rtopped and rapidly settled into the water. As the captain and the executive officers of the steamer went down with her it has been impossible thus far to ascertain got out of her course, as Falmouth Light and the coast were vis-

Dinner was ready and Captain Griffiths was about to proceed to the sa-loon when a sudden crash made it apparent that the steamer had gone ashore. The captain immediately went on deck, and the survivors say they

saw him on the bridge doing all in his power to lesser, he disaster.

There was a rush for the boats, but the officers stood firm and put the women aboard first. Captain Griffith tuck to his post on the bridge shouting orders through a trumpet until he went down with the ship. One passenger out away the falls of a lifeboat with a razor and thus saved several lives.

As soon as the Mohegan struck the shricks of the passengers were wafted ashore and the Port Houstock lifeboat ediately put out. The life savers dld noble work, and the Port Houstock oat was immediately followed by others. There was a high sea running as the result of a gale, which made it necessary for tugs which put out to

in a sealed envelope 10C yards, and giving it to a man of his own company, who takes it the next 100 yards and so on until it has gone 500 yards. The first of the last 5 men being declared winner. It was won by Company C. Ist Sergt. Jonah King, being the first man to bring his letter in, without it having touched the ground.

The last and many instances of sacrifice are recorded. Members of the crew are known to have stood by and watched the boats. The last and most interesting event launched and put off when it was apwas the potato race, 8 starters, 8 pota-toes were placed on the ground in a direct line 10 yards apart, the idea be-saved.

ing to pick up one potato at a time and place it in a basket at the scratch line, the first man to get the last potato in, Thursday, Oct. 20.

Secretary Long will ask congress to increase the naval force to 20,000 men. M. Brisson, the French premier, will probably soon retire on account of ill

was a highly cultivated gathering, with music, wit and eloquence flowed until the gathering was invited to the dining Admiral Schley has been placed in room, where a feast "fit for the gods" was served, with all the delicacies of command of the naval station at San Newport, R. L. Juan de Porto Rico. Colonel William J. Bryan, of the

Third Nebraska regiment, has made no attempt to secure a furlough. Miss Laura Williams, of Chicago, is

en route to London, where she will marry General Wesley Merritt. Florence Bayard, daughter of the late Thomas F. Bayard, is to marry W. S. Hiles, a young Wilmington law

Before the war investigators, at Jacksonville, Dr. Frye charged many of the contract physicians with gross incom-

Friday, Oct. 21. After an execution of eight rebels at Wu Chow, China, little children played with the ghastly heads.

The strike of wire drawers in Cleveland has been declared off, and most of the men return to work.

A native Porto Rican in New York demands the right to vote without naturalization, and has started a legal Colonel William J. Bryan, of the

Third Nebraska regiment, was excused from testifying before the war inves-Eleven of the 20 Indians wanted for

misdemeanors in Minnesota, whose re-sistance caused the late conflict, have surrendered. Ex-Governor Bullock and wife, of Georgia, were robbed of several thou-

sand dollars' worth of diamonds and jewelry at their hotel in Washington. Saturday, Oct. 22. General Joubert, of the Transvaal army, is leading a force against mur-

derous natives. Our Porto Rico evacuation commissioners, having completed their work, are en route for home.

Emperor William's visit to Constantinople was marked by distinguished courtesies at the hands of the sultan. The Philippines insurgents are collecting export and tonnage duties at the ports under their control.

In a political fight between whites and blacks at Fort Worth, Tex., Hope Adams, white candidate for sheriff, was

It develops that Harold Frederic, the newspaper correspondent and author who died in London recently, was a letim of "Christian scien

Andy Dupont, who killed William Walker in a prize fight at Omaha, Neb., is held for murder. Police Chief Carroll, who acceped money for "protection," is held as accessory. Monday, Oct. 21.

Atlanta, Ga., wants the president to attend that city's peace jubilee next

It is believed the Second and Third Pennsylvania regiments will be sent to

manche, Kiowa and Apache Indians in Oklahoma. They are suffering for food. Dan Connor, shift boss of a mine at Wallace, Idaho, was ordered to leave town by masked men armed with revolvers. He left.

Louis Babn, William Schaffer and an-other man went duck hunting in Lake Michigan. Off Wilmette their boat cap-sized and all drowned.

Sergeant Allen, of the Eighth colored immunes, fired on policemen at Chattanooga, Tenn., killing Charles Beagles, a white bystander. Mrs. Sanderson, 28 years old. is charged with killing her 80-year-old millionaire husband, by powdered glass, at Battle Creek. Mich.

Tuesday, Oct. 25. The last of the Spanish troops have evacuated the Island of Porto Rico. By the overflowing of the Yellow river, in China, 2,000 natives were

drowned. Our government has granted Spain an extension of time to Jan. 1 for evacuating Cuba.

General Wesley Merritt was married in London yesterday to Miss Williams, of Chicago.

John L. Kennedy, ex-president of Washington typographical union, has been appointed to the industrial commission by President McKinley. The dissolution of a court injunction by the United States circuit court at

Baltimore assures the reorganization of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. The superior court of California decides that Mrs. Botkin cannot be ex-tradited to Delaware for the alleged murder of Mrs. Deane and Mrs. Dunning by poisoned candy sent through

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